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REMARKS

Drawings

The indication, in the Notice of Allowability, that the Examiner has no objections to the drawings filed on May 15, 2001, is noted with appreciation.

A typographical error was found in Fig. 9, #707, where PRINTER was written as PRINTE. Attached is a formal replacement drawing for Fig. 9 to correct the typographical error. Approval of this replacement sheet is respectfully requested.

This Amendment is being presented promptly after the discovery of the need therefor. This Amendment does not affect the scope of the claims, does not introduce any new matter, does not present any new issue, does not require any additional search, and will not present an undue burden on the personnel of the Patent and Trademark Office. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Amendment be entered in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.

Allowable Subject Matter

The allowance of claims 2-9, 11, 14. 17, and 18, by the Examiner, is noted with appreciation.

This Amendment does not increase the number of independent claims, does not increase the total number of claims, and does not present any multiple dependency claims.

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Accordingly, no fee based on the number or type of claims is currently due. However, if a fee, other than the issue fee, is due, please charge this fee to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS:

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to Fig. 9. This sheet, which includes Fig. 9, replaces the original sheet including Fig. 9.

Attachment: One Replacement Sheet

Annotated Sheet Showing Change



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